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SECTION 1. PRODUCT AND COMPANY IDENTIFICATION

Product name : DOW CORNING(R) 5 COMPOUND

Product code : 0000000001001400

Chemical nature : Silicone compound

Manufacturer or supplier's details

Company name of supplier : Dow Corning Corporation

Address : South Saginaw Road

Midland Michigan 48686

Telephone : (989) 496-6000

Emergency telephone : 24 Hour Emergency Telephone : (989) 496-5900

CHEMTREC: (800) 424-9300

Disposal considerations : (989) 496-6315

Recommended use of the chemical and restrictions on use

Recommended use : Lubricants and lubricant additives

SECTION 2. HAZARDS IDENTIFICATION

Emergency Overview

Appearance	Grease
Color	white, translucent
Odor	none
Hazard Summary	No known physical or health hazards.

OSHA Regulatory status : This material is no

: This material is not hazardous under the criteria of the Federal OSHA Hazard Communication Standard 29CFR 1910.1200.

Potential Health Effects

Inhalation : No significant effects expected from a single short-term expo-

sure.

Skin : No significant irritation expected from a single short-term

exposure.

Eyes : No significant irritation expected from a single exposure.



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Ingestion : No significant effects expected from a single short-term

exposure.

Aggravated Medical Condi-

tion

: None known.

Carcinogenicity:

IARC No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as probable, possible or confirmed

human carcinogen by IARC.

ACGIH No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcino-

gen by ACGIH.

OSHANo ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a carcinogen or potential carcino-

gen by OSHA.

NTP No ingredient of this product present at levels greater than or

equal to 0.1% is identified as a known or anticipated carcinogen

by NTP.

SECTION 3. COMPOSITION/INFORMATION ON INGREDIENTS

Substance / Mixture : Mixture

Chemical nature : Silicone compound

Hazardous ingredients

Chemical Name	CAS-No.	Concentration (%)
Silicon dioxide	7631-86-9	>= 10 - < 20

SECTION 4. FIRST AID MEASURES

If inhaled : If inhaled, remove to fresh air.

Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

In case of skin contact : Wash with water and soap as a precaution.

Get medical attention if symptoms occur.

In case of eye contact : Flush eyes with water as a precaution.

Get medical attention if irritation develops and persists.

If swallowed, DO NOT induce vomiting.

Get medical attention if symptoms occur. Rinse mouth thoroughly with water.



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Protection of first-aiders : No special precautions are necessary for first aid responders.

Notes to physician : Treat symptomatically and supportively.

SECTION 5. FIRE-FIGHTING MEASURES

Suitable extinguishing media : Water spray

Alcohol-resistant foam

Dry chemical

Carbon dioxide (CO2)

Unsuitable extinguishing

media

: None known.

Specific hazards during fire

fighting

: Exposure to combustion products may be a hazard to health.

Hazardous combustion prod-

ucts

: Carbon oxides

Silicon oxides Formaldehyde

Specific extinguishing meth-

ods

: Use extinguishing measures that are appropriate to local cir-

cumstances and the surrounding environment.

Cool containers/tanks with water spray.

Remove undamaged containers from fire area if it is safe to do

SO.

Evacuate area.

Special protective equipment

for fire-fighters

: Wear self-contained breathing apparatus for firefighting if nec-

essarv.

Use personal protective equipment.

SECTION 6. ACCIDENTAL RELEASE MEASURES

Personal precautions, protective equipment and emer-

gency procedures

Personal precautions, protec- : Follow safe handling advice and personal protective equip-

ment recommendations.

Environmental precautions : Discharge into the environment must be avoided.

Prevent further leakage or spillage if safe to do so. Retain and dispose of contaminated wash water.

Local authorities should be advised if significant spillages

cannot be contained.

Methods and materials for containment and cleaning up

: Soak up with inert absorbent material (e.g. sand, silica gel,

acid binder, universal binder, sawdust).

For large spills, provide diking or other appropriate containment to keep material from spreading. If diked material can be pumped, store recovered material in appropriate container. Clean up remaining materials from spill with suitable absor-



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bent.

Local or national regulations may apply to releases and disposal of this material, as well as those materials and items employed in the cleanup of releases. You will need to deter-

mine which regulations are applicable.

Sections 13 and 15 of this SDS provide information regarding

certain local or national requirements.

SECTION 7. HANDLING AND STORAGE

Technical measures : See Engineering measures under EXPOSURE

CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION section.

Local/Total ventilation : Use only with adequate ventilation.

Advice on safe handling : Handle in accordance with good industrial hygiene and safety

practice.

Take care to prevent spills, waste and minimize release to the

environment.

Conditions for safe storage : Keep in properly labeled containers.

Store in accordance with the particular national regulations.

Materials to avoid : Do not store with the following product types:

Strong oxidizing agents

SECTION 8. EXPOSURE CONTROLS/PERSONAL PROTECTION

Ingredients with workplace control parameters

Ingredients	CAS-No.	Value type (Form of exposure)	Control parameters / Permissible concentration	Basis
Silicon dioxide	7631-86-9	TWA (Dust)	20 Million particles per cubic foot (Silica)	OSHA Z-3
		TWA (Dust)	80 mg/m3 / %SiO2 (Silica)	OSHA Z-3
		TWA	6 mg/m3 (Silica)	NIOSH REL

Engineering measures : Processing may form hazardous compounds (see section

10).

Ensure adequate ventilation, especially in confined areas.

Minimize workplace exposure concentrations.



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Personal protective equipment

Respiratory protection : No personal respiratory protective equipment normally

required.

Hand protection

Remarks : Wash hands before breaks and at the end of workday.

Eye protection : Wear the following personal protective equipment:

Safety glasses

Skin and body protection : Skin should be washed after contact.

Hygiene measures : Ensure that eye flushing systems and safety showers are

located close to the working place. When using do not eat, drink or smoke. Wash contaminated clothing before re-use.

These precautions are for room temperature handling. Use at elevated temperature or aerosol/spray applications may re-

quire added precautions.

SECTION 9. PHYSICAL AND CHEMICAL PROPERTIES

Appearance : Grease

Color : white, translucent

Odor : none

Odor Threshold : No data available

pH : Not applicable

Melting point/freezing point : No data available

Initial boiling point and boiling

range

: Not applicable

Flash point : > 101.1 °C

Method: closed cup

Evaporation rate : Not applicable

Flammability (solid, gas) : Not classified as a flammability hazard

Upper explosion limit : No data available

Lower explosion limit : No data available

Vapor pressure : Not applicable

Relative vapor density : No data available



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Relative density : 1

Solubility(ies)

: No data available Water solubility

Partition coefficient: n-

octanol/water

: No data available

Autoignition temperature : No data available

Thermal decomposition : No data available

Viscosity

Viscosity, dynamic : Not applicable

Explosive properties : Not explosive

Oxidizing properties : The substance or mixture is not classified as oxidizing.

Molecular weight No data available

SECTION 10. STABILITY AND REACTIVITY

Reactivity : Not classified as a reactivity hazard.

Chemical stability : Stable under normal conditions.

Possibility of hazardous reac-

tions

: Use at elevated temperatures may form highly hazardous

compounds.

Can react with strong oxidizing agents.

Hazardous decomposition products will be formed at elevated

temperatures.

Conditions to avoid : None known.

Incompatible materials : Oxidizing agents

Hazardous decomposition products

Thermal decomposition : Benzene

Formaldehyde

SECTION 11. TOXICOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Information on likely routes of : Skin contact

exposure

Ingestion

Acute toxicity

Not classified based on available information.



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Ingredients:

Silicon dioxide:

Acute oral toxicity : LD50 (Rat): > 3,300 mg/kg

Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute oral tox-

citv

Remarks: Information taken from reference works and the

literature.

Acute inhalation toxicity : LC50 (Rat): > 2.08 mg/l

Exposure time: 4 h

Test atmosphere: dust/mist

Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute inhala-

tion toxicity

Remarks: Information taken from reference works and the

literature.

Acute dermal toxicity : LD50 (Rabbit): > 5,000 mg/kg

Assessment: The substance or mixture has no acute dermal

toxicity

Remarks: Information taken from reference works and the

literature.

Skin corrosion/irritation

Not classified based on available information.

Ingredients:

Silicon dioxide:

Result: No skin irritation

Remarks: Information taken from reference works and the literature.

Serious eye damage/eye irritation

Not classified based on available information.

Ingredients:

Silicon dioxide:

Result: No eye irritation

Remarks: Information taken from reference works and the literature.

Respiratory or skin sensitization

Skin sensitization: Not classified based on available information.

Respiratory sensitization: Not classified based on available information.

Ingredients:

Silicon dioxide:

Assessment: Does not cause skin sensitization.

Test Type: Skin: test type not specified

Species: Guinea pig

Remarks: No known sensitising effect.

Information taken from reference works and the literature.



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Germ cell mutagenicity

Not classified based on available information.

Ingredients:

Silicon dioxide:

Genotoxicity in vitro : Result: negative

Remarks: Information taken from reference works and the

literature.

Genotoxicity in vivo : Application Route: Ingestion

Result: negative

Remarks: Information taken from reference works and the

literature.

Germ cell mutagenicity- As-

sessment

: Animal testing did not show any mutagenic effects.

Carcinogenicity

Not classified based on available information.

Reproductive toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

STOT-single exposure

Not classified based on available information.

STOT-repeated exposure

Not classified based on available information.

Aspiration toxicity

Not classified based on available information.

SECTION 12. ECOLOGICAL INFORMATION

Ecotoxicity

No data available

Persistence and degradability

No data available

Bioaccumulative potential

No data available

Mobility in soil

No data available

Other adverse effects

No data available



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SECTION 13. DISPOSAL CONSIDERATIONS

Disposal methods

Resource Conservation and

Recovery Act (RCRA)

: This product has been evaluated for RCRA characteristics and does not meet the criteria of hazardous waste if discarded

in its purchased form.

Waste from residues : Dispose of in accordance with local regulations.

Contaminated packaging : Dispose of as unused product.

Empty containers should be taken to an approved waste han-

dling site for recycling or disposal.

SECTION 14. TRANSPORT INFORMATION

International Regulation

UNRTDG

Not regulated as a dangerous good

IATA-DGR

Not regulated as a dangerous good

IMDG-Code

Not regulated as a dangerous good

Transport in bulk according to Annex II of MARPOL 73/78 and the IBC Code

Not applicable for product as supplied.

Domestic regulation

49 CFR

Not regulated as a dangerous good

SECTION 15. REGULATORY INFORMATION

OSHA Hazards : No OSHA Hazards

EPCRA - Emergency Planning and Community Right-to-Know

CERCLA Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a CERCLA RQ.

SARA 304 Extremely Hazardous Substances Reportable Quantity

This material does not contain any components with a section 304 EHS RQ.

SARA 311/312 Hazards : No SARA Hazards



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SARA 302 : No chemicals in this material are subject to the reporting

requirements of SARA Title III, Section 302.

SARA 313 : This material does not contain any chemical components with

known CAS numbers that exceed the threshold (De Minimis) reporting levels established by SARA Title III, Section 313.

US State Regulations

Pennsylvania Right To Know

Dimethyl, phenylmethyl siloxane, trimethylterminated
Silicon dioxide
7631-86-9
Dimethyl siloxane, hydroxy-terminated
70 - 90 %
10 - 20 %
5 - 10 %

New Jersey Right To Know

Dimethyl, phenylmethyl siloxane, trimethylterminated
Silicon dioxide
7631-86-9
Dimethyl siloxane, hydroxy-terminated
70 - 90 %
10 - 20 %
5 - 10 %

California Prop 65 This product does not contain any chemicals known to the

State of California to cause cancer, birth, or any other

reproductive defects.

The ingredients of this product are reported in the following inventories:

PICCS : All ingredients listed or exempt.

AICS : All ingredients listed or exempt.

IECSC : All ingredients listed or exempt.

ENCS/ISHL : All components are listed on ENCS/ISHL or exempted from

inventory listing.

DSL : All chemical substances in this product comply with the CEPA

1999 and NSNR and are on or exempt from listing on the

Canadian Domestic Substances List (DSL).

REACH : Consult your local Dow Corning office.

TSCA : All chemical substances in this material are included on or

exempted from listing on the TSCA Inventory of Chemical

Substances.

Inventories

AICS (Australia), DSL (Canada), IECSC (China), REACH (European Union), ENCS (Japan), ISHL (Japan), KECI (Korea), NZIoC (New Zealand), PICCS (Philippines), TSCA (USA)



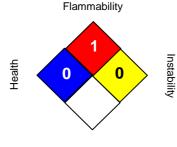
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SECTION 16. OTHER INFORMATION

Further information

NFPA:



Special hazard.

HMIS III:

HEALTH	0
FLAMMABILITY	1
PHYSICAL HAZARD	0

0 = not significant, 1 = Slight,

2 = Moderate, 3 = High

4 = Extreme, * = Chronic

Full text of other abbreviations

NIOSH REL : USA. NIOSH Recommended Exposure Limits

OSHA Z-3 : USA. Occupational Exposure Limits (OSHA) - Table Z-3 Min-

eral Dusts

NIOSH REL / TWA : Time-weighted average concentration for up to a 10-hour

workday during a 40-hour workweek

OSHA Z-3 / TWA : 8-hour time weighted average

Sources of key data used to compile the Material Safety

Data Sheet

: Internal technical data, data from raw material SDSs, OECD eChem Portal search results and European Chemicals Agen-

cy, http://echa.europa.eu/

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